

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE TERRORIST ATTACKS ON

CIVIL ACTION NO.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

03 MDL 1570 (GBD)

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FIONA HAVLISH, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
DONALD G. HAVLISH, JR., Deceased,

RUSSA STEINER, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
WILLIAM R. STEINER, Deceased,

CLARA CHIRCHIRILLO, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
PETER CHIRCHIRILLO, Deceased,

TARA BANE, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
MICHAEL A. BANE, Deceased,

GRACE M. PARKINSON-GODSHALK, in her
own right and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
WILLIAM R. GODSHALK, Deceased,

ELLEN L. SARACINI, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
VICTOR J. SARACINI, Deceased,

THERESANN LOSTRANGIO, in her own right
and as Executrix of the ESTATE OF
JOSEPH LOSTRANGIO, Deceased, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SHEIKH USAMAH BIN-MUHAMMAD
BIN-LADEN, a.k.a. OSAMA BIN-LADEN,

AL-QAEDA/ISLAMIC ARMY,
an unincorporated association, *et al.*,

CIVIL ACTION NO.
03-CV-9848 – GBD

Case Transferred from the
United States District Court
for the District of Columbia
Case Number 1:02CV00305

**ORDER GRANTING
PLAINTIFFS'
MOTION TO SEAL
PORTIONS OF
THE EVIDENCE
IN SUPPORT OF
THEIR MOTION
FOR ENTRY OF
JUDGMENT
BY DEFAULT
AGAINST
SOVEREIGN
DEFENDANTS**

FOREIGN STATE DEFENDANTS:

THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN,

AYATOLLAH ALI-HOSEINI KHAMENEI,

ALI AKBAR HASHEMI RAFSANJANI,

IRANIAN MINISTRY OF
INFORMATION AND SECURITY,

THE ISLAMIC REVOLUTIONARY
GUARD CORPS,

HEZBOLLAH,
an unincorporated association,

THE IRANIAN MINISTRY
OF PETROLEUM,

THE NATIONAL IRANIAN
TANKER CORPORATION,

THE NATIONAL IRANIAN
OIL CORPORATION,

THE NATIONAL IRANIAN
GAS COMPANY,

IRAN AIRLINES,

THE NATIONAL IRANIAN
PETROCHEMICAL COMPANY,

IRANIAN MINISTRY OF
ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND FINANCE,

IRANIAN MINISTRY OF
COMMERCE,

IRANIAN MINISTRY OF DEFENSE
AND ARMED FORCES LOGISTICS,

THE CENTRAL BANK OF THE
ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN, *et al.*,

Defendants.

ORDER
GRANTING LEAVE TO FILE UNDER SEAL PORTIONS OF
PLAINTIFFS' EVIDENCE IN SUPPORT OF THEIR MOTION
FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST SOVEREIGN DEFENDANTS

WHEREAS the Plaintiffs in *Havlish, et al. v. bin Laden, et al.*, 1:03-cv-9848 (1:03-md-1570), have moved the Court for an Order granting leave to file under seal certain portions of their evidence in support of their Motion For Entry of Default Judgment Against Sovereign Defendant (the Islamic Republic of Iran), as well as their Proposed Findings of Fact and their Memorandum, and considering the grounds therefore, and based on all the files and records herein, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

Plaintiffs' Motion is GRANTED, and it is FURTHER ORDERED that

Plaintiffs may file portions of their evidence, proposed findings of fact, and legal memoranda under seal, and it is FURTHER ORDERED that

The Clerk of Court shall accept such filings by the *Havlish* Plaintiffs under seal and keep such materials under seal until further Order of the Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

United States District Judge